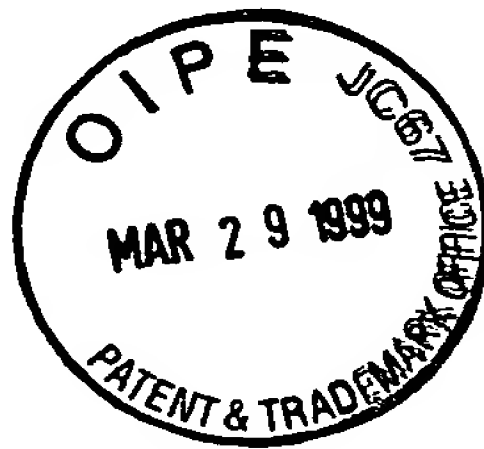


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re)
Application of)
ALEXANDER LIFSON)
Serial No.: 08/986,447)
Filed: DECEMBER 8, 1997)
For: **PULSED FLOW FOR CAPACITY**)
CONTROL)



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AMENDMENT

Syracuse, New York
March 25, 1999

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated February 1, 1999, kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, line 6, after "of" and before "compressor" insert --a--;

At page 1, line 9, change "pressures" to --pressure--;

At page 2, line 22, after "18-1" and before "downstream" insert --,--;

At page 2, line 23, after "30", "18", and "20", insert --,--;

At page 2, line 27 after "example" and before "be", insert --,--;

At page 3, line 18, after "invention" and before "solenoid" insert --,--;

At page 3, line 19, change "12 since" to --12. Since--.